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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. October 10, 2023 - For the week ending October 8, 2023, there were 5.9 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 31% very short, 36% short, 32% adequate, and 1% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 35% very short, 38% short, 27% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat planted was 57%, ahead of 47% last year, and near 56% for the five-year average. Emerged was 28%, ahead of 17% last year, but near 29% average.

Corn mature was 97%, near 93% both last year and average. Harvested was 64%, ahead of 59% last year and 55% average.

Soybean condition rated 21% very poor, 27% poor, 32% fair, 18% good, and 2% excellent. Soybeans dropping leaves was 89%, ahead of 80% last year and 79% average. Harvested was 39%, ahead of 28% last year and 21% average.

Sorghum condition rated 11% very poor, 20% poor, 37% fair, 27% good, and 5% excellent. Sorghum coloring was 97%, near 95% last year and 98% average. Mature was 74%, ahead of 68% last year, and near 71% average. Harvested was 29%, ahead of 23% last year and 21% average.

Cotton condition rated 5% very poor, 17% poor, 39% fair, 36% good, and 3% excellent. Cotton bolls opening was 92%, ahead of 80% last year and 75% average. Harvested was 9%, behind 15% last year, but ahead of 4% average.

Sunflowers harvested was 37%, well ahead of 13% last year and 14% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 24% very poor, 29% poor, 35% fair, 11% good, and 1% excellent.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, KSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:

<https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j>

Access Crop Progress and Condition graphical products at:

https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Crop_Progress_&_Condition/2023/index.php

**Crop Progress by District
For the Week Ending October 8, 2023**

	Percent									
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Winter Wheat Planted	76	69	74	40	56	45	24	36	38	57
Winter Wheat Emerged	36	40	43	8	21	23	7	17	19	28
Corn Mature	97	93	95	96	99	96	99	99	99	97
Corn Harvested	45	58	56	62	81	76	67	87	94	64

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